

I would like to comment briefly on the role the FCC plays in my community. It seems today that far too often government agencies are merchants of public property than stewards. Certainly it is true that our airwaves should be home to commercial activity, as it can be done to the benefit of our society. But it should also seem evident that society should not restrict the airwaves to the uses of commercial activity, as such action would be detrimental to the bountiful potential radio has for our communities. It is this citizen's opinion that the FCC does just that however. If governmental agencies wish to act in the soul interests of its citizens, then action should be taken to promote the use of radio by the public sector. Unfortunately it seems that the profit-free nature of such activity has robbed communities of their voice. The technology is relatively inexpensive and accessible; radio is a practical medium for public expression. The government should realize this and take action. Thank you for your time.